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# CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE Minutes June 24, 2009

The Credentials Committee met on Wednesday, June 24, 2009 at 2 p.m. at the Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Claudette Dalton, MD

Malcolm Cothran, MD Stuart Mackler, MD

**STAFF PRESENT:** William L. Harp, MD, Executive Director

Ola Powers, Deputy Executive Director of Licensing

Leigh Kiczales, APD

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Claudette Dalton called the meeting to order.

The instructions for emergency evacuation were read prior to the conference.

## INFORMAL CONFERENCE

### **Edward B. Lewin, MD**

Edward B. Lewin, MD appeared before the Committee in open meeting to respond to its inquiry regarding the possible refusal to issue a license to practice medicine pursuant to Virginia Code Sections 54.1-2915(A)(4). Upon conclusion of the discussion, Dr. Dalton entertained motions. Dr. Cothran moved to convene a closed meeting pursuant to section 2.2-3711 A. (28) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Dr. Lewin. Additionally, he moved that, Dr. Harp, Ola Powers and Leigh Kiczales, attend the closed meeting because their presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried. Upon motion made, seconded and carried, the Committee returned to open session following the procedure for certification of an executive meeting pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3712.

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Dr. Cothran moved to recommend that it grant a full and unrestricted license to Dr. Lewin. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT	
Claudette Dalton, MD, Chair	William L. Harp, M.D. Executive Director
Ola Powers, Deputy Executive Director Licensing	